

REGISTRATION, DESCRIPTION AND STATISTICAL SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

APPENDIX A

DATE October 21, 1986

FULL NAME William "Fred" Strausbach

SOCIAL SECURITY
NUMBER

(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS [REDACTED]

CITY Xenia

STATE Ohio

ZIP CODE 45385

DATE OF BIRTH _____

(This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 32

(To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION Lutheran

NATIONALITY American

OCCUPATION Vocational Teacher, London Correctional Institution

EDUCATION _____

WEIGHT _____

HEIGHT _____

RACE White

COLOR OF HAIR _____

COLOR OF EYES _____

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS

Church council and choir - First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Xenia, Ohio

MARRIED OR SINGLE SINGLE

CHILDREN _____

(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

NAME OF SPOUSE _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	POSITION	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
S-0069	Xenia	Ohio	MC	12/84	suspended 10-21-86

SPECIAL RECOGNITION has also served as Unit Commissioner

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

Is under Greene County Grand Jury indictment for one felony count of gross sexual imposition and one misdemeanor count of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

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MAR 23 '87

JOSEPH L. STRAUSBACH

Signed

SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Xenia # 139

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Signed Robert L. Lane
 SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Wacumseh # 439

Man convicted

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Man gets probation in sex case

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jail, but suspended both sentences and placed Strausbach on probation.

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Sentences suspended and placed on probation for 5 years. (see attached)
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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

Signed

SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Xenium # 439BS-509
4/14/83-nah

March 26, 1987

Mr. George M. Stone
Scout Executive
Toumsen Council, No. 439

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: William F. Strausbach

Dear George:

Thank you for the detailed information concerning the above Scouter. We have reviewed this case with our Attorney and have now placed this man on the Confidential file.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: East Central Region

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Dayton News 3-18-87

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October 28, 1936

Mr. George W. Stone
Scout Executive
Tecumseh Council, No. 439

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: William Strussbach

Dear George:

Thank you for the Confidential Record Sheet and other information which you recently sent us concerning the above-named individual. This is most helpful to us and will enable us to start a file which could lead to future refusal of registration attempts.

We would ask that you keep us informed as more action takes place on this matter. This will enable us to eventually build a file which will substantiate any of our decisions.

Thank you again for your help in protecting the youth of America.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Service

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cc: East Central Region

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SHIRLEY MEYER

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Ex-youth leader faces molestation charges

Tip leads to man's indictment

By Jim Dillon
GREENE COUNTY BUREAU

Pastor Dean Stewart of the First Evangelical Lutheran Church of Xenia says his congregation is bound to feel tremendous pain and confusion in the days ahead.

Stewart, however, said he hopes the membership will rise above that and show compassion for longtime church member and leader William F. "Fred" Strausbach.

A Greene County grand jury has charged the former youth ministry leader with allegedly molesting two youths under his care.

Strausbach, 52, of 1477 Hickman Road in Xenia Twp., is charged with one felony count of gross sexual imposition and one misdemeanor count of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

According to the indictment, Strausbach allegedly had sexual contact with a child under 13 between June and September 1976. The indictment also charged that Strausbach acted in a way to "cause a child or ward of the juvenile court to become an unruly child." In July 1983.

The victim of the first assault is 22

and lives in Columbus. The victim of the second assault is 17 and lives in Houston, Texas. Both have told authorities that Strausbach molested them more than once while they were members of the church. Xenia police Detective David R. Greene said.

Strausbach appeared Friday before Greene County Common Pleas Judge Edward R. Kimmel and pleaded not guilty to the charges. He was released on a recognizance bond.

Strausbach is a vocational teacher at the London Correctional Institution, LCI Superintendent Arnold Jago soon will determine whether Strausbach should be put on leave pending the outcome of the criminal case, Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction

spokesman Robert Frieser said.

The investigation began in July with an anonymous tip to the Greene County Victim/Witness Referral Program. The tipster told authorities Strausbach had molested youths under his care at the church, Greene said. He said others later corroborated the information.

"As a youth leader, he (Strausbach) would accompany kids on outings and help them at events at the church," Greene said. "That's when they said the assault occurred."

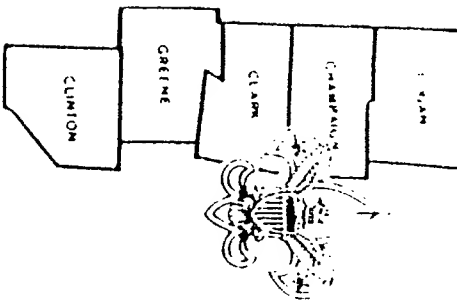
Greene presented his report to the grand jury Oct. 9. The grand jury returned its indictment the same day.

Strausbach could not be reached for comment.

Stewart called Strausbach a loyal church member who "has served this church a long time. He sang in the choir, has served on the church council and he talked as a leader in the church."

Stewart said he realizes he must be prepared to answer the questions his congregation will raise now that the indictment has been served.

"There is going to be a lot of confusion, pain and ambiguous feelings concerning these charges," he said. "But like all of us, Fred has his own unique difficulties. My hope is that he can continue to be a member of the church because he needs us now more than ever."



Tecumseh Council

No. 439

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

929 E. HIGH STREET SPRINGFIELD, OHIO 45505 1980

October 21, 1986

William F. Strausbach

Xenia, OH 45385

Dear Mr. Strausbach:

This letter will serve as notification that you are temporarily suspended from your position as a Committee Member of Troop 69, First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Xenia, Ohio and as Unit Commissioner, Chillicothe District, Tecumseh Council, Boy Scouts of America.

This action is necessary because of the Grand Jury indictment you are under.

We require that you immediately discontinue functioning as a leader in any capacity in the Boy Scouts of America.

Your suspension will be reviewed following completion of the Judicial Process.

Sincerely,

George W. Stone
George W. Stone
Scout Executive



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